

**WEAKLEY COUNTY SCHOOLS**  
**Martin Middle School**  
**December 5, 2019**  
**5:00 – 5:30 P.M.**

**Board Members:** Beau Atkins, Jeff Floyd, John Hatler, Kim Longacre, Gath Meeks, Joshua Moore, Doug Sims & Steve Vantrease.  
(Absent-Martin Hamlin)

**Administrative Staff Present:** Tracey Bell, Michelle Clements, Jeff Cupples, Jon Gardner, Lee Lawrence, Patresa Rogers, Chuck West, Betsi Foster, Donald Ray High, Jeff Kelley, Lindsey Parham, Deborah Perkins & Terri Stephenson.

**Media Present:** *Dresden Enterprise & WCMT.*

**Meeting Called To Order:** Chairman Vantrease called the meeting to order.

- I. Agenda Additions** – Motion by Floyd, seconded by Longacre to approve the December 5, 2019 agenda additions. Motion carried.
- II. Agenda Approved** – Motion by Moore, seconded by Longacre to approve the December 5, 2019 agenda. Motion carried.
- III. Minutes Approved** - Motion by Meeks, seconded by Atkins to approve the minutes from the November 7, 2019 meeting. Motion carried.
- IV. Update from Lindsey Parham, CTE Director** – Lindsey gave the board a brief update on adding a Career Exploration Course for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade students in the near future to help expose them to different types of careers in the surrounding area & give them help with soft skills as well. She discussed the different changes that will be going on throughout each school & her goal is for each high school to have their own specialty in the CTE program.
- V. Approve Textbook Committees** – Motion by Longacre, seconded by Moore to approve Textbook Committees for English Language Arts (Elementary, Middle & High School). Motion carried.
- VI. Committee Reports** – None given.

**VII. Consent Items** – Motion by Floyd, seconded by Meeks to approve the following consent items. Motion carried.

**A. Field Trips –**

Dresden High School

1. Cheerleaders to travel to Memphis, TN to attend Memphis Grizzlies game  
December 14, 2019

Gleason School

1. Girls' basketball to travel to Franklin, TN for MTIT tournament  
December 27-30, 2019.

Greenfield School

1. FBLA to travel to Nashville, TN to Nissan Stadium December 15, 2019.

Martin Elementary School

1. Charger Scholar Club to travel to Huntsville, AL to visit the U.S. Space & Rocket  
Center April 4, 2020.

**Adjourn** – Steve Vantrease adjourned the meeting at 5:30 PM.

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Steve Vantrease, Chairman

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Randy Frazier, Secretary